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FM AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7647
INFO AMCONSUL DHAHRAN
AMEMBASSY JIDDA
AMEMBASSY DOHA
AMEMBPESSY KUWAIT

C O N F I D E N T I A L ABU DHABI 0987

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ENRG
SUBJ: ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURES FOR CRUDE OIL FOR U.S. STRATEGIC
PETROLEUM RESERVE

REF: STATE 70969

1. EMBASSY FEELS THAT DIRECT CONTACT WITH ABU DHABI NATIONAL OIL COMPANY ABOUT VISITS BY DOD PERSONNEL MIGHT PROVOKE NEGATIVE REACTION SINCE ABU DHABI DOES NOT LOOK FAVORABLY ON THE SPR. IN THE EVENT THAT SPR CARGOES ARE SOURCED HERE, WE BELIEVE THAT PURCHASING COMPANY SHOULD RAISE THE QUESTION OF INSPECTION WITH PRODUCERS AS ONE OF THE STANDARD PROCEDURES FOR DOD CARGOES WITHOUT REFERENCE TO SPR.

2. EMBASSY IS NOT AWARE OF ANY PREVIOUS VISITS TO ABU DHABI BY DFSC OFFICIALS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION DEPT MAY HAVE REGARDING EARLIER INSPECTIONS. WE DO NOT FEEL THAT IT WOULD BE WISE TO RAISE THIS MATTER WITH ADNOC OFFICIALS UNLESS IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT (A) CARGOES WILL BE PURCHASED HERE AND (B) IT WILL BE
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KNOWN THAT THEY ARE FOR THE SPR.
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